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Democratic Primary to be Held Saturday

Record Wheat Yield for 1944

Will Exceed a Record Crop '31

Much Larger Yield on a Smaller Acreage of Wheat Is Record for 1944

Randall county is harvesting one of the finest grain harvests in the history of the county.

It is confidentially stated by local experts that the wheat yield for 1944 will exceed the banner yield of 1931.

The yield for 1931 amounted to 3,104,489 bushels for Randall county. The yield will be larger than this total for 1944.

But there is a lot of difference in the acreage yield for 1944 as compared with the average yield for 1931.

In 1931 a total acreage of wheat amounted to 241,844 acres.

The acreage for 1944 will not exceed 175,000 acres due to the continued dry weather of last fall when farmers hesitated to plant wheat in the dust.

The test of wheat has been above 61 until the rains of this week.

It is believed that the wheat acreage for 1945 will exceed the total for 1944 by a considerable amount in spite of the present labor situation.

Democrats Asked To Attend Meeting of Precincts

All precincts of Randall county are asked to hold Democratic conventions at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Delegates should be selected to the county convention on July 29 at 2:30 o'clock.

W. A. Warren, precinct chairman, has called Democrats of Precinct 1 to meet at the district court room at 2:30 o'clock.

Interest has increased in precinct conventions over Texas when it was announced this week that the CIO was attempting to control these conventions in an attempt to undo the work of the June state convention which selected presidential electors.

Farmer organizations over Texas are urging farmers to attend the precinct convention in order that CIO may not secure control of the political situation in Texas.

More Rain Falls During the Past Week in County

Canyon received rain amounting to 1.33 inches last Thursday morning. This brought the total rainfall of the week to 5.21 inches, and the total for July up to 5.28 inches.

Canyon has now received 17.48 inches of rain since the first of January.

A heavy rain fell between Canyon and Amarillo Monday afternoon, but did not cover a large area. The rain of a week ago Tuesday night which amounted to 3.40 inches in Canyon amounted to as much as 6 inches in parts of the county.

Harvest has been delayed by these heavy rains, but row crops are making a wonderful growth because of the continued summer rains.

Canyon News Is Sent to Many New Readers

The Canyon News is being placed in the hands of many new readers this week. The primary object is to invite all qualified voters to go to the polls Saturday and cast their ballots.

However, The Canyon News invites all who have not been regular readers in the past to join the rapidly growing list of Randall county citizens who read this newspaper every week. We should like to have a 100% subscription list of Randall county citizens.

The subscription rate is $1.50 per year in Randall county, and $2.00 to other sections. The News may be sent to all men and women in service in any part of the world at $2.00 per year.

IN AMARILLO HOSPITALS

The following Canyon citizens have been in Amarillo hospitals the past week:

Mrs. Earl Brooks, surgical.
Baby Charlotte Hart, medical.
Mrs. H. R. Hungate, medical.
Miss Helen Jo Cox, surgical.
Mrs. Winfield Miller, surgical.
Clem Friemel, medical.
Mrs. Eugene Frische, surgical.
Robert Key Brock, medical.

Mrs. Alexander of Amarillo, sister of T. V. and Newt Reeves, visited in Canyon over the week end.

Capt. Lockhart Winner of Medal

Local Boy Is Recognized In Italy for Splendid Service to the Army

Captain Vincent M. Lockhart, who left from Canyon with the 142nd infantry, National Guard Unit, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in direct support of combat operations. According to word received Monday the award was made on July 3.

The citation on Captain Lockhart follows:

"Vincent M. Lockhart, 0404789, Captain, Adjutant General's Department, Headquarters 36th Infantry Division, for meritorious service in direct support of combat operations from 9 September 1943 to 30 June 1944 in Italy. Since landing in the invasion of Italy on D-Day, Captain Lockhart has worked indefatigably during more than nine months in combat, frequently under artillery fire and aerial bombardment. Serving for six months as assistant G-1, he drew upon a profound knowledge of the intricacies of administration combat, and exercising sound judgment and exceptional tact, he has materially assisted commanders in personnel problems and decisions. As assistant adjutant general, he organized and directed the Awards and Decorations Section, working day and night supervising the processing and personally editing each of more than one thousand citations in two months. His careful evaluation of deeds of valor with respect to appropriate awards, and his exceptional compositions of citations have materially contributed to the perpetuation of the heroism of the command. He has worked tirelessly and cheerfully, often under adverse conditions, but always in a superior manner."

Capt. Lockhart is a graduate of Canyon High School, West Texas State College and the University of Missouri School of Journalism. He began his military training under his father, Capt. W. E. Lockhart who commanded Company 7, 142nd Infantry guard unit at Canyon for years. His father died in the service about two years ago. A brother, Capt. W. E. Lockhart, Jr., has been

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Men Are Called For Service and Physical Exams

Starting August 1 men who are sent from Randall county for preinduction physical examination, and for induction into the armed forces will be sent to Oklahoma City. The induction station at Lubbock will be closed at that time.

A call has been received for five men to be sent for induction on August 1. The men will leave on July 31 in order to reach the induction station on time. Since there have been two volunteers, only three single boys under 26 years or age will be sent for induction.

The first call for physical examinations under the new set up is for six men to be forwarded to Oklahoma City on August 3. These men will return home for at least a 21-day period.

While no official statement has been made, press reports indicates that calls this fall will be light. It is indicated that both the army and navy have reached their maximum war strength, and that further calls will be for replacement only. General Hershey announced that it was unlikely that men over 30 years of age would be called for induction. All branches of the armed service insist that men 18 to 26 years are needed for replacements at the rate of 100,000 per month.

Brewster Medal Is Given Wife; Indication As Prisoner

Mrs. Howard Brewster, wife of 1st Lt. Howard C. Brewster, reported missing in action June 6, received her husband's Award of an Air Medal from the War Department Monday. In a letter accompanying the Medal the Commanding Officer said:

"As Troop Carrier Glider pilots, these officers meritoriously climaxed a most successful program of intensive, specialized training and joint maneuvers with airborne units in aerial flights by their superb performance in the initial Troop Carrier phases of the invasion of the European continent.

"The magnificient spirit and enthusiasm displayed by these officers, combined with skill, courage and devotion to duty is reflected in their brilliant operation of unarmed gliders of light construction, at minimum altitudes and air speeds, in unfavorable weather conditions, over water, and into the face of vigorous enemy opposition, with no possibility of employing evasive action, and in their successful negotiation of hazardous landings in hostile territory, to spearhead the Allies invasion of the continent. Their respective duty assignments were performed in such an admirable manner as to produce exceptional results in the greatest and most successful airborne operation in the history of world aviation."

Mrs. Brewster has had no further word from the War Department concerning the fate of her husband. However, she has had letters from a number of his close associates in the 437th Troop Carrier Group and they all give her encouragement that her husband is safe.

Roosevelt Is Candidate for 4th Term

All precedents will be smashed today when President Roosevelt is nominated for the 4th Term on the Democratic ticket. The nomination may be by acclamation, owing to the predominate number of delegates pledged to the President.

Canning Center Schedule Made

Citizens Are Asked to Take Advantage of New Canning Facilities

Would you like to see the Randall County Canning Center in operation? Saturday is open house and you are cordially invited to see how things will be operated for your benefit.

Monday, canning in a Community Center became a reality for Canyon when Mrs. George Archer, Supervisor, assisted by Miss Gladys Armstrong, Miss Elizabeth Cox, and Milton Morris canned chicken, beets and plums to test equipment.

Exhaust tables, retorts, washing vats, filling and sorting tables, power sealers, hand sealers, household type pressure cookers, pulley with track, power grinder, storage space, refrigerator, mail desk, social hall—all these and many more are features of the Center located in Terrill Hall.

As one enters the door, he sees the mailing desk, sorting desk, exhaust tables, sealers and grinders. Now he would think that he would become confused, but these tables are arranged with a definite plan for system, convenience and speed in work. Then in the next room are washing vats, work tables, and storage shelves that make for the same things that are arrangement in the main hall.

In the kitchen proper are found the large retorts, huge pressure cookers that hold 50 cans each; household type pressure cookers to accommodate small quantities of vegetables, fruit or what have you to can; a large refrigerator to be used for storing produce that cannot be used immediately or for cooling; a cooling vat that will hold dozens of cans and provided with a constant flow of cold water; a pulley on a track over the retorts to lift the fifty cans and carry them to the cooling vat.

Over the retorts, cookers, ex-

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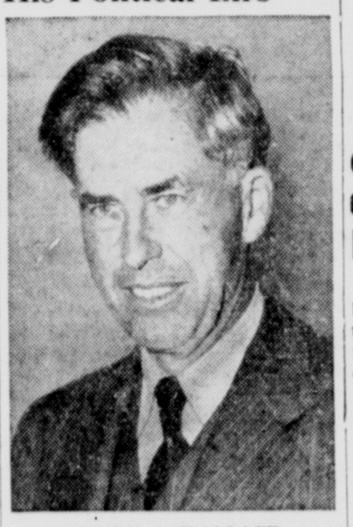
Vice President Is Making Fight For His Political Life



HENRY A. WALLACE

The Vice President arrived at Chicago yesterday to take charge of his waning candidacy for re-nomination. President Roosevelt has approved Wallace, but is not demanding his re-nomination.

According to reports yesterday the President has dropped James F. Byrnes, after opposition developed by CIO and other union officials.

Senator Harry S. Truman of Missouri was the leading contender for the nomination as vice president yesterday and may be nominated at the convention today following the nomination of Roosevelt.

J. C. Baker, Sr., is in school for the last six weeks. He was formerly in business in Canyon. He has been teaching for the past four years at Hot Springs out from Austin in Travis county.

Lela Loudder, WASP, from Love Field, Dallas is spending a two-week leave at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Loudder.

Mrs. Minnie Fewell of Canyon spent the week end in Dalhart visiting her sister, Mrs. Ancel Shewbert.

Little Interest In the Election

Returns Will Be Posted Saturday Night in the News Office Window

The first primary election will be next Saturday.

So far there has been very little interest in the election among the voters of Randall county. There has been only two state candidates in Canyon during the campaign; no political speeches made; no window cards put up; and very little political literature circulated.

There will be one voting place in Canyon. Dr. D. A. Shirley will be the presiding judge at the Legion Hall. Voters in precinct one are asked to go to the polls early Saturday morning so that counting of the ballots may be facilitated.

The official ballot reveals only one contest for a county office. M. E. Cantrell, present Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector, is opposed by W. L. Lyons, a former deputy in this office.

A write-in campaign was started this week against County Chairman Clyde Warwick. The name of Tom Slack is proposed in a postcard and letter campaign to the voters.

The News will receive election returns from all boxes of the county Saturday night, and these returns will be posted on the bulletin board. State election returns will also be posted as received.

All precincts will hold conventions at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. W. A. Warren, chairman of Precinct No. 1, will preside at the district court room. All Democrats are urged to attend this convention.

Election judges outside of Canyon are:

No. 2, J. J. Leavitt.
No. 3, Glenn W. Dowlen.
No. 4, Emil Schaeffer.
No. 5, Mrs. James Eddie Park, Jr.
No. 6, H. W. Burrus.
No. 7, George E. Mason.
No. 8, W. P. Janssen.
No. 9, Henry Beverely.
No. 14, C. B. Erwin.

Old Building Collapsed But No One Injured

The east wall of the old theatre building at the southeast corner of the square collapsed Saturday morning, throwing bricks almost to the office of the West Texas Gas office.

The building was bought a few years ago by the late Rhea Robbins. A considerable amount of building materials have been removed from the building.

Children have been playing in and around the building, but fortunately no one was near the building when the wall collapsed. The heavy rains probably caused the collapse.

Mrs. Rhea Robbins will have the remaining portion of the building removed as soon as possible owing to the danger from other parts of the wall collapsing.

The building was tied to the Herschel Jennings building on the corner, which is the oldest brick building in Canyon. No damage was done to the Jennings building by the collapse.

The building has not been used in several years, but was the home of the Olympic Theatre before the new modern structure on the north side was erected in the early 20's by J. W. Wooten.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Mack William West to Mrs. Irene F. Rieter, July 14.

Charlie C. Pierce to Mrs. Nona Hardy, July 14.

Henry Murphy to Mrs. Nona Peters, July 15.

John A. Lynn to Mrs. Elsie Catherine Lynn, July 15.

Pfc. and Mrs. C. N. Tippery returned Sunday from Detroit and places in Canada.

Harvest in County Is Reported as Practically 85 Percent Finished

Rains of Week Slow Up Harvest; Car Bottleneck Is Chief Impediment

If no rain falls today, harvest should be 85% completed by this afternoon.

Harvest was delayed following the heavy rains of last week, but in most parts of the county combines were able to start by the week end.

It was estimated last week that 70% of the wheat had been cut. Some farmers thought the estimate was too high, but closer checks from all sections of the county showed this to be very accurate.

Due to the high winds of Tuesday night of last week a considerable amount of barley is down. The growth of weeds following the rains has made harvest slower than anticipated.

Labor has been just about equal to the demands made by farmers throughout the harvest. The County Agent's office has been able to fill the labor demands about as rapidly as requests have come from the farmers.

A new problem has developed this harvest—something entirely new in the way of transportation. The government will not allow railroads to ship cars of grain until they are assured that terminals can unload the grain. Labor difficulties in the terminals have slowed up this handling, due to the interference of CIO, which is stepping in to throttle the handling of grain.

Railroads are setting cars out to the elevators as rapidly as possible. But after the elevators load the cars, railroads are unable to move the grain until it is certified that the cars will be unloaded at the terminals. In the meanwhile, because of red tape and labor interference, the railroads charge the elevators demurrage because the cars cannot be handled. The cost of handling grain is thus being increased, and the farmers and elevators are forced to pay tribute to a situation over which they have no control.

It is believed that little damage was caused to the thousands of bushels of wheat which was on the ground during the rains. However, another big rain on the wheat may be very costly.

Picture of Major R. A. Neblett Shown in Medical Service Film

Ensign H. Bradford Black writes to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Black, that he received a thrill while viewing a service training film last week.

The film showed the work of the Army Medical Corps on New Guinea. Ensign Black was electrified when the face of Major R. A. Neblett appeared on the screen. He did not know the location of Major Neblett in the Pacific. However, there was no doubt in his mind when another view showed the Major at work.

HAMIL WILSON IMPROVING

Mrs. P. M. Wilson had a letter this week from her son, Hamil, who is in a hospital recovering from wounds received in Italy. He writes that he is getting well so fast that he hopes to rejoin his company in a couple of weeks.

STORK SPECIAL

Born to Capt. and Mrs. George Harold Lair, a boy, Peter Don, July 12, at Tacoma, Washington. Capt. Lair is stationed at Ft. Lewis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Winston Savage, a girl, at Pampa, July 14.

Olin Huff, U. S. Navy, arrived in Canyon Friday from San Diego to spend a week with his wife and daughters before reporting to replacement depot for further orders.

Standing Room Only in Chicago

Crowds of delegates, newspapermen, officials and visitors are again filling the Chicago Stadium as they did when President Roosevelt was first nominated there in 1932.

Religious Census To Be Completed; Report Next Week

The religious census of Canyon is not quite complete but will be completed in time for a report to be published next week, it is hoped. The pastors are grateful for the splendid cooperation of more than fifty people from various churches who made the visits last Monday night. More than a hundred families were "not at home" and when these are visited the report can be finished. Much valuable information was obtained and it will aid the religious workers of the various Canyon churches in their fall and winter planning. In these days of deep spiritual need, it is the aim of Canyon's church leaders to provide the very best for all of Randall's citizens.

FIFTH WAR LOAN

Over-All quota assigned to Randall County	$195,000.00
Total bond sales and allocations, (including E Bonds credited on the Drive through July 18)	249,236.75
Amount in excess of Over-All quota, including E Bonds credited through July 18	$ 54,236.75

E. BONDS

E Bonds quota, (this being part of the Over-All quota)	$110,000.00
E Bonds sales, credited on the Drive through July 18	91,731.25
Amount yet lacking on E Bonds quota	$ 18,286.75

County Chairman R. H. Wright states that all sales of E, F, G, Bonds and Series C notes which are purchased on or before July 31 will count on the quota for the 5th War Loan Drive. He is very hopeful that all citizens of Randall county who have not bought E Bonds shall do so at once in order that the quota of E Bonds may be completed before the end of the month.

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Vote in Primary Saturday

Texas is faced with one of the quietest, most drab primary elections in many years. Naturally all interest of the people centers in the war; they care little about politics. That looks bad for the coming primary. If the qualified voters do not go to the polls Saturday, almost anything can happen in this primary. All voters are urged to take time out Saturday and go to the polls to select their public officials for the coming term. Democracy depends upon the honest efforts of the individual voters to make an intelligent selection of those who shall serve them in public office.

In years past, *The News* has reviewed state candidates with the idea of being of assistance to the voters when they go to the polls. We give you the following review of the candidates as they appear to us:

We shall support Eugene Worley for Congress. His opponent is La Marr Bailey of Amarillo. Bailey denounces the New Deal, and started out to make his campaign on horseback. He is unknown over the district, and will receive little support except among the most disgruntled voters of the district.

Governor Coke R. Stevenson will probably receive more votes than his eight opponents combined. He has made a splendid record in office. The only objection we hear of the Governor comes from those most ardent New Dealers who thought Coke should jump on their bandwagon. As a matter of fact he has been running the affairs of Texas and letting Washington affairs strictly alone.

Lee Satterwhite, former representative of this district, is running for Lieutenant Governor against John Lee Smith. He will receive many votes in the Panhandle due to his splendid service to the district. However, he has been out of touch with state-wide affairs, while Smith has been very active in political affairs. Smith will lead the primary election ticket and could be re-elected in the first primary over his three opponents.

The people will re-elect Geo. H. Sheppard to the office of Comptroller over two opponents. His splendid record in office deserves this tribute.

Probably the hardest battle will be for Attorney General, and it may require a second primary to decide this race. Grover Sellers, an Assistant Attorney General under Gerald C. Mann, was appointed to fill Mann's unexpired term. He is not well known over the State. He has two active opponents, Senator Jesse E. Martin of Fort Worth and Fred Erisman of Gregg county. Both of these men are good lawyers, but Senator Martin has the advantage of a better state-wide following.

Then comes the hot spot of the campaign—Superintendent of Public Instruction. L. A. Woods is opposed by Walter Scott McNutt of Marion county and Earl Rogers of Hays county. Rogers is the most aggressive candidate, but chances are that Woods will be able to defeat him, if the campaign goes to a second primary.

Various attempts have been made to defeat J. E. McDonald, Commissioner of Agriculture. He has two opponents, neither of whom is well known. Both have made weak campaigns. In spite of the continued opposition of McDonald to the Roosevelt administration, he manages to hold on to his job—a useless one, indeed, which should be turned over to Texas A. & M. College.

Justice Richard Critz, of the Supreme Court, has drawn four opponents. Probably they are all good men, but so is Critz. He has a good record on the Court. He is opposed by CIO henchmen who do not like some of his decisions. Critz has made it clear that he is not voting on the Court either in favor of CIO as an organization, or against CIO because of its political activities. He renders decisions according to the law in spite of political consequences.

F. L. Hawkins of the Court of Criminal Appeals is opposed by Joseph D. Dickson of Baylor County. Hawkins is well known over the state, while Dickson is little known.

There are no district contests and only one county contest.

So far *The News* has received very little political publicity from any candidate; there has not been a single political speech in Randall county; and no political window cards are on display.

The political campaign may be wound up without a second primary if every voter goes to the polls next Saturday and casts his vote.

No one was surprised when the President announced last week that he would accept the nomination for a fourth term. It was well assured in advance that this was his plan. However, he kept the Democratic voters in the dark in order to make the nomination as nearly unanimous as possible. The President did a very wise thing in announcing a week before the convention opened that he would accept the nomination. He also did the wise thing in not demanding the nomination of Vice President Wallace, the acute sore spot of the administration. Roosevelt will probably be nominated for a 4th term today. If he leaves the nomination of a candidate for vice president up to the convention it will probably be Saturday before this is settled. The big national battle is on, and careful plans are being laid by both parties.

Stalin's armies are in good position to reach Berlin before the American and British troops. We say "reach Berlin" because we do not believe that the war will be over until our troops camp in Berlin where they can supervise and enforce the peace. Pershing urged the Allies to go on to Berlin in 1918, but we believed the Germans were ready to stop. Peace rumors are in the air, and no doubt Berlin will try to stop the war before militarianism is destroyed in Germany.

We read one day that Dewey will win if the war in Europe is over before the November election; and the next day and equally authentic prediction is made that Roosevelt will easily win if the war is over and the peace parley is underway by November. After all, the voters will decide the issue in November. Drew Pearson predicted Sunday night that the war would be over before September 15. Regardless of political consequences, all Americans hope that it ends long before that time.

Newspaper men wondered how Pappy O'Daniel secured newsprint to start a new paper when established papers were having a struggle to keep going. It is now revealed that the late J. M. West had a stock of newsprint left from the daily newspapers which his son sold, and the surplus stock of print was turned over to O'Daniel. West hated the New Deal equally as much as O'Daniel does. Incidentally, we should like to see a copy of O'Daniel's paper if any Canyon citizen has one.

Dewey followers are worried. They are wondering what Willkie is going to do. So far Willkie has said nothing, except that he is dissatisfied with the Republican platform. It is conceded that Willkie controls about 10 per cent of the Republican vote. Dewey cannot win without Willkie. If Willkie chooses to support Roosevelt, Dewey followers know that the jig is up. No wonder Dewey is holding many conferences with Republican leaders through the nation, hoping to appease Willkie.

Thousands of dollars are being wasted by Washington bureaucrats urging newspapers to continue the scrap paper campaign. The bottleneck is that when paper is salvaged there is nothing to do with it except feed it to a bonfire. Americans are glad to do everything that will further the war, but are tired of seeing money wasted in ridiculous requests of the bureaucrats.

The Japs have threatened that they will murder our aviators who are shot down over their territory, the same as they did when Jimmie Doolittle lost some of his planes. The more you hear about the treachery of the Japs the more inhuman the people of the nation becomes.

De Gaulle seems to have thawed out considerably under the heat wave of Washington and the liquidating smile of the President. The two seemed to get along famously.

Wartime Washington

(Newsletter by Gene Worley, Member of Congress for week of July 17, 1944.

Prior to the short breathing spell, Congress completed action on the following bills which have been sent to the White House for approval:

(1) The forty-five billion dollar War Appropriations Bill, poplularly known as the "Hitler-Tojo Message of Death."

(2) A measure which is designed to curb the use by government agencies of unnecessary mail, circulars, pamphlets, etc. Each agency will be required to request appropriations from Congress for this purpose and will have to justify their position.

(3) Also finally passed was a bill raising the pay of expert infantrymen $5 a month and combat infantrymen $10 a month. Additional pay consideration was given for glider pilots and fighters.

(4) Legislation providing for sale by Post Offices of "postal notes." These may be used to transmit thru the mails any sum up to ten dollars for a flat fee of five cents each. Postmasters will have this information and forms shortly.

(5) A bill extending the Civilian Pilot Training Program for two years was also passed and sent to the White House.

(6) The President has signed legislation authorizing temporary appointments and full officer status of Army nurses who now hold ranks and are accorded all officer privileges.

(7) The House adopted a Resolution authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to conduct a survey of postwar needs for airports in the United States, its territories and possessions.

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The much vaunted (by the Nazis) robot plane has excited considerable interest. This was one of the "secret weapons" which the Nazis had long bragged about. As a matter of fact, however, both the British and American Intelligence Services were fully aware of the existence of this instrument. Both the United States Army and Navy had previously experimented with a similar device but abandoned the idea because these rocket bombs actually do very little damage. They have a wingspan of about sixteen feet and are slightly more than twenty-five feet long. It is a jet-propelled rocket type "flying bomb" without a pilot. Most of them are controlled by radio. Our military authorities rejected these flying bombs in favor of more precise bombing, based on the accuracy and precision of our superior bomb sights.

Most of the damage to date has been of little military consequence. Washington officials believe the first threat was to scare and alarm those in the British Isles but even that objective has fallen flat.

There are four ways to combat this new type weapon: (1) Heavy bombing of the rocket plane takeoff spots across the Channel. (2) Sending Allied fighter planes out to shoot them down (since the robot planes cannot shoot back our fighter planes can come in at closer range and fire more accurately) (3) Anti-aircraft defenses (4) Possible jamming of the radio controls by radio interference.

The Nazis will have to develop a better "secret weapon" than the "flying bomb" if they hope to stop the Allied drives.

Palo Duro News

Norris and Clyde Root and Austelle Burrus spent the week end with Meade Michael in honor of his birthday.

Nancy Root spent Thursday and Friday with Sandra Michael.

Guests in the Henry Miller home Friday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schroeder and sons of Hereford, Mrs. Arlie McMillian and children of Dallas and Wm. Schroeder of Watertown, Iowa.

T-Sgt. Gus Perhune was a guest in the Emil Albers home Sunday.

Mrs. Adolph Karpen spent the week end in the parental Henry Miller home.

Harold Root is spending this week in the Geo. Albers home.

Miss Barbara Michael spent the week end with Miss Martha Hammond.

Cpl. Fred Bragg of Garden City, Kansas is visiting in the parental O. D. Bragg home.

Floyd Jennings is visiting his mother, Mrs. T. C. Jennings.

You can't climb the ladder of success by jumping at conclusions.

NO CAUSE FOR WORRY

"There is one thing," cried the orator, "which will shine unceasingly and increasingly through the war days before us."

"Don't get excited," said a voice from the audience, "you ain't the only one with a blue serge suit."

IN THE MODE

"Mabel, you really ought to wear a hat when you go out riding."

"But Mother, I am wearing a hat; it's on the other side."

What about travel conditions?

Travel conditions are different than they were in pre-war days.

Let's look at the facts:

Throughout the land, tens of thousands of men and women of our armed forces are now traveling across the country by rail.

The families of our fighting troops are taking trips to "see the boys" before they shove off for overseas.

Executives and war workers of essential industries are traveling between various plants on important missions.

It all adds up to this: More passengers than ever before are crowding the Santa Fe trains.

We are required to handle this unprecedented volume of passenger traffic with practically *the same equipment we had in 1941.*

Building new passenger equipment has not been permitted since Pearl Harbor.

Our government has issued instructions to the railroads under Interstate Commerce Commission Service Order No. 213, effective 12:01 am June 27, to displace or remove any passenger in any accommodation upon any train, in order to provide necessary space for sick or wounded service personnel, and their attendants, transported pursuant to a medical certificate. We hope there will be little of this.

We of the Santa Fe will do our best to carry all the passengers we can, as quickly and comfortably as we can, but we ask this before you plan a trip this summer:

Unless your trip is essenti..., can't you put it off until we have a little better opportunity to carry you in the traditional Santa Fe manner?

Santa Fe

SANTA FE SYSTEM LINES

"ALONG THE ROUTE TO TOKYO"

THANK YOU! TEXAS VOTERS . .

For Your Cooperation and Support

I am humbly appreciative that I am unopposed in my candidacy for re-election as Railroad Commissioner in the July Primary. I pledge the continuance of my best efforts and service to the people of Texas and the important war demands upon the Railroad Commission.

Beauford H. Jester

Chairman, Railroad Commission of Texas

Clyde Warwick

Candidate for

COUNTY CHAIRMAN

Condemns the

"SMEAR CAMPAIGN"

Postcards and letters were mailed out this week to Randall County voters in an effort to "smear" the County Democratic Chairman, and proposing a write-in campaign in Saturday's primary. This campaign would be ignored had the truth been told. The campaign is based on the distorted imagination of an erratic college professor. Facts of the case are:

1. The group sponsoring this movement is a part of the state organization seeking to gain control of the Democratic party. Led by a college professor, the group won in Randall county at the May convention. But they lost in the precinct conventions over Texas; they lost in the county conventions over Texas; they lost in the State convention; they lost before the Supreme Court of Texas; they even lost at the National Democratic Convention. Having lost out completely, they are seeking to use a local citizen as an excuse to "smear" the County Chairman by making insinuating and untrue charges.

2. The charge that the County Chairman is seeking to "Republicanize the Democratic Party" is a brazen falsehood. He comes from a long line of Democrats—a Democratic grandfather who was born in Old Kentucky. But he is very much interested in restoring the Democratic Party to the people by eliminating from power wild-eyed theorists and professors who are riding the party to death; the CIO and Communist leaders who are trying to wrest the party from the people. These are the real manipulators—the little Hitlers of the Democratic party.

3. This group complains that the name of the proposed candidate was not on the primary election ballot, insinuating that the Chairman had something to do in leaving off the name. This group made no attempt to fulfill the requirements of the Terrell Election law; did not seek aid from either the Chairman or members of the Executive Committee in order to make out a legal application. Any person in Randall county can get his name on the primary ballot by meeting the requirements of the law—and only through this method. The law is written for all candidates.

4. The present Chairman had nothing to do with the action of the Democratic State Convention; was not consulted as to its procedure; was not advised as to its actions. This local group who now object to the County Chairman had the vote of Randall county, and the responsibility was theirs to stop this so-called revolt against the 4th term.

5. Your present Chairman is like many other Democrats in the belief that the 4th term for any President is a bad practice. However, we believe in the majority rule, and will vote the Democratic ticket in November. In addition though, we still reserve the right to protest against those things within the party which we believe are wrong, and insist that every other good Democrat has the same privilege.

6. It makes little difference who is County Chairman of the Democratic party of Randall county. The job has no political significance, no political powers within the party. So far as the work is concerned, it is a clerical job for the purpose of seeing that the primary elections are held ACCORDING TO THE LAW, and not according to the changing whims of any individual or group of individuals. So long as the present Chairman is retained in office by the Democrats, no citizen can say that he has not been given all of the privileges of the law, and that the primaries are not held according to the law; that the clerical work of making a dozen or so reports shall not be made promptly and accurately; and certainly all local candidates shall be given a fair and square deal, according to the law, without fear or favor.

7. Your County Chairman appreciated the fine cooperation of the Precinct Chairmen who are diligent in carrying on the work of the Democratic Party in Randall county. During the 34 years he has lived in Randall county, the Democratic Party has been very kind to him in various ways. If re-elected Saturday, he shall continue rendering the same service as in the past. If you voters feel that he is justified in continuing in this office, he will appreciate your support Saturday.

CALVIN CASEY

Candidate for Re-election

County Commissioner
Precinct, No. 4

I appreciate the opportunity of having served the people of Precinct No. 4.

I am thankful that I have no opponent in this campaign.

I shall do my best ot make you a better commissioner in the future than I have in the past.

I appreciate the fine cooperation which all voters of the precinct have given me, and cordially ask a continuation of the same.

THANKS, VOTERS

OF PRECINCT NO. 2

I am very grateful to the voters of Precinct No. 2 for continuing me as your County Commissioner.

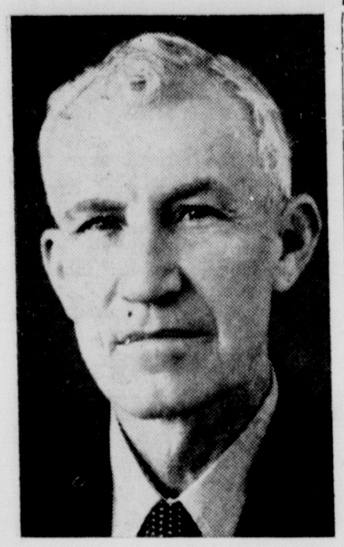
Because of the gas and tire shortage I have not made a campaign for re-election—you understand the situation.

I hope to make you a better Commissioner in the future than in the past.

CLARENCE BECKMAN

Candidate for Re-election County Commissioner
Precinct No. 2, Randall County

A. H. Hunt Seeks Re-election Judge



JUDGE A. H. HUNT

To the Citizens of Randall County:

I am glad of the opportunity to come again asking your endorsement for County Judge in the coming Primary. I think it a wise provision that we are required periodically to select or reject those who work for us in the various capacities of public service and do not believe we should be recreant in using a voice in this duty. Obviously if those we serve become negligent and indifferent, we soon may see the effects in the deportment of the hired man.

Our people are fine, kind and tolerant, and here I would thank the citizens for the considerate treatment accorded me during the period I have served as an official. The unselfish co-operation of all who have business with this office is worthy of special mention.

We have 21 boards of school trustees, civil officials of the county in addition to various officials in the courthouse and I have yet to meet my first grouch among them. They are optimistic and reveal a deep interest in the achievement of the future, in the development of all interests that will make our county even a more desirable place for real homes, which is a background that cannot be excelled for action to bring into realization these conditions.

Do we neglect to avail ourselves of privileges that we should observe? I thing our boys and girls should be taught by precept and example of parents and neighbors that suffrage is a responsible duty to be observed. If we practice and exercise our judgment on matters of nation and state, we increase our usefulness in protection of our localities, become helpers in securing the things we really need, and are barricades against innovations that we are better off without.

Have you heard people sometimes say, "I'm too busy. I can't take part in this privilege today" or "really if others can put up with this I can too"? True you can, and uncomplainingly, no doubt; but is that the right brand of gratitude toward those who paid such a sacrificial price for the liberties and freedom that we in our innermost minds esteem so highly?

Duty well performed always increases confidence instead of arousing suspicion and does reduce extent, if not disarm, the despoiler of "Justice to All."

The unit of this political notion is one qualified voter, and the nation responds in proportion to the character of that voter with the same exactness that the great forces of nature function.

Be assured that if I am not rejected by the people, I will faithfully strive to meet the demands for a County Judge in Randall County.

Respectfully,
A. H. HUNT.

Highland News

Showers during the week halted the wheat cutting for a time. A few have reported lower yields due to black rust. Grain is being piled on the ground at the Co-op Elevator at Wildorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Atkins of Borger are helping the Ed Sharps thru harvest.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batenhorst called at the Fuqua home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Fuqua called on Mrs. Atkins and Mrs. Ed Sharp Saturday afternoon.

Miss Carmen Callahan is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. C. Paxton, at Bushland.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman of Amarillo are helping the L. J. Fultons harvest.

Mrs. Cook's sister from Mississippi has been visiting her the past week.

Mrs. Raymond Kimball called on Mrs. Fuqua Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuqua visited at the Joe Allred home Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Allred recently moved into their new home south of Wildorado.

Miss Miriam Cornelius was a house guest of Mrs. Howard Fuqua last week.

Leona and Leslie French of Freedom, Okla., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sharp.

Harvest is just about half over in this community, so fair weather is hoped for.

Magnifying one's own virtues is likely to cause I-strain.

V-NEWS

Does your garbage pail continue to fill up rapidly even though you have tried to use all left-overs and have practiced methods of preparation which conserve food? If so, perhaps your family hasn't the clean plate habit. Some of the methods tried by others may aid you in further decreasing the waste of food in your home.

On the bread plate, place several half-slices of bread so the light eaters may not take more than they can eat and as a result leave bits on the plate.

Leave crusts on bread; use heels before they become stale.

Serve thinner squares or pats of butter on the butter plate or bread plates; it is easy to over-estimate the amount we are taking when we cut from a mold of butter.

Eat all that is served on the plate; the fad for leaving a bit of food to indicate that one is not greedy has long since passed. Neither is it good taste to leave salad greens on the plate—greens are a part of the salad and not just decoration.

Enjoy the liquid from vegetables and the last bit of gravy by using a bit of bread to absorb them.

Exert some pressure with the spoon to extract as much juice as possible from citrus fruits.

Use less sugar in beverages and stir it in a little more; if the entire family enjoys beverages of about the same sweetness, adding the sugar in the kitchen sometimes proves to be economical especially in the case of cold drinks.

Pleasantview

Mrs. Albert Meyer has returned from Hot Springs, New Mexico.

Jim and Helen Spencer spent the week end in Borger visiting relatives.

Mrs. Jim Bible and Billy returned home from Oklahoma this week.

M. McDonald of Borger spent two weeks in the J. W. Spencer home for harvest.

Dewey Curb, has recently been promoted to the rank of Sergeant. He is stationed in China, where he has been for several months.

Gussie Chesnut, Business Administration major, will teach in the high school at Tucumcari, New Mexico, next year.

Mrs. John Gilliland and daughter, Mary Beth, of Hereford have returned home after spending a week with Mrs. Nancy McCaslin and Beth at Randall Hall.

It's easier to see through the other fellow when your own conscience is clear.

Our town was never lacking in amusements.

For instance, a handcuff artist put on an exhibition on the courthouse lawn. He called for volunteers in the crowd to step forward and fasten him tightly with chains, locking them with padlocks. After twisting and writhing, he succeeded in three or four minutes—in freeing himself. Then he passed the hat for collection.

There would be a visiting lecturer who spoke at the church, telling of his trip to the Holy Land, illustrating the lecture with lantern slides.

The carnival was of course a scene of dazzlement. Even after a boy's supply of nickles had run out and there was no more riding on the merry-go-round or the ferris wheel, there was the free show in front of the Museum of World Curiosities — the Oriental dancer who was a princess; and the mind-reader, who was also a princess; and the snake-charmer, who oddly enough was a princess, too. These only appeared on the platform however—the only one who performed, free, was the fire-eater, though the wild man, captured in the jungles of Africa, would shake his chain and growl.

One of the most thrilling events was the balloon ascension, the aerialist—in bright costume—sitting on a trapeze under the balloon, which rose hundreds of feet in the air. Then he pulled the rip cord and the balloon began to deflate. The daredevil plunged dizzly toward the earth until his parachute unfolded, then he floated down.

On one such occasion, a group of negroes was busy picking cotton when a parachute jumper fluttered to a landing in their midst. They fled in terror—all except Uncle Remus, who was a preacher and he courageously remained—also he had rheumatism and couldn't run. The old darkey gazed at the acrobat in his bright tights and then said, "Good mawnin', Lord Jesus, and how is yore Pappy gettin' along?"

The hopes of the overwhelming majority of the people of Texas that loan sharks can be driven out of the State were given impetus when a jury recently returned a verdict, the effect of which was to uphold the new anti-usury injunction law and to find a flock of these saboteurs of the war effort guilty thereunder.

Mrs. Wofford New Hostess of Hall; Mrs. Smith Leaves

The new hostess at Cousins Hall is Mrs. Anne Wofford, who has been assistant hostess for eight years. Mrs. Wofford is assuming the duties of Mrs. Agnes C. Smith, who will retire August 31 after serving eleven years at Cousins Hall.

Mrs. Wofford's home is Cleburne, Texas. She attended Polytechnic Institute in Fort Worth, majoring in mathematics. She taught in the fifth and sixth grades in Plainview one year. Before going back for her senior year, she married C. D. Wofford and went with him to Baltimore where he received his D. D. S. from the University of Maryland.

She made her home in Plainview for twenty-seven years, where she reared three children and where Dr. Wofford died. Captain Clarence D. and First Lieutenant Wilbur, are both dentists and both are graduates of Baylor University. Captain Wofford is with the invasion forces in France, and Lt. Wofford is in the paratroopers stationed at Camp Forrest, Tennessee. Anne, who is attending W. T. this summer, will be a senior at the University of Texas next fall.

Mrs. Wofford comes to her responsibilities fully prepared to keep Cousins Hall the pleasant, hospitable home for college girls which it has been through the years.

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College Girls on Program at Dallas Sunday Afternoon

Sunday afternoon, five of West Texas State's students were on the air. Edna Mae Mauldin, Mary Lee Abbott, Mary Evelyn Foster, Winnie Fred Ramage, and Anita Davis went to Dallas to appear on College Capers of the Air, sponsored by Interstate Theaters. They broadcast over station WFAA in Dallas.

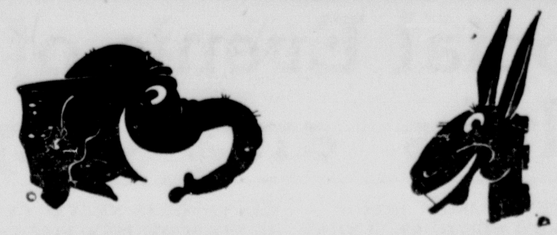
In May, representatives from College Capers were on the campus and auditioned about ten acts, from which these five persons were selected to make the trip to Dallas with all expenses paid, and a small compensation for their act.

Miss Mauldin sang "The Desert Song" by Sigmund Romberg, and the Trio sang "Oh, What a Beautiful Morning," popular hit from 'Oklahoma.' Both were accompanied by Ina Rae Hutton's orchestra. Announcement of the winners has not yet been made.

LOGIC

Professor: "Now remember that thinking is said to draw the blood to the head."

Student: "Is that why, when you think twice about some things you get cold feet."



RED HOT

Politics are warming up as election draws near. No matter whom you favor, be sure to vote—in all elections.

In the meanwhile we want your vote for Building Material—which are now available,—and for that new home which you are planning after the war.

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M. E. Cantrell

Candidate for Re-election

Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector

To the Citizens of Randall County:

I am a candidate to succeed myself as your Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector. I am asking that all voters of Randall county shall go to the polls on Saturday, July 22, and cast their vote in this important primary. I trust that you will give my candidacy favorable consideration and that I shall receive your support.

Politics in 1944 are far different from normal years. Candidates must take into consideration the abnormal situation and the necessary restrictions that have ben imposed in order that the war may be won, and the boys brought back to their families as quickly as possible.

For that reason I have not deemed it advisable to make a personal house-to-house canvass of the county. I have not deemed it advisable to take the time of the voters to discuss my candidacy, when all our citizens are so busy and worried about their boys engaged in this global war. Furthermore, I have not believed it to be wise to drive additional miles at a time when gasoline and tires are so precious.

I am asking for your support and vote strictly upon the record of my service in office. I have tried to make you a good official, and if I have succeeded, it shall be my pleasure to continue to give all citizens the same fair and impartial services as I have in the past.

I have employed a well-trained and efficient office force at all times to wait upon you, and if I am re-elected I shall continue this practice. The records of this office have been highly complimented both by State and County auditors. These records are of your public business and are opened at all times for inspection.

Anything that you may do for me in this campaign will be fully appreciated, and I assure you that I shall repay with efficient service during the coming term of office. I trust that you will see proper to approve my candidacy by your vote on July 22.

Preview of Fall

Men's Clothes for the Fall Season Have a 4-Star Rating

THE coming attractions look mighty good for busy men on the home-front. Simplicity is the star in suits, but accessories add a spark of gayety. All of our suits have the lead in styling and fit, and are made from the best materials.

We feature all the new light colors.

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Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

FOSTER CHILDREN HONOR MOTHER'S BIRTHDAY SUNDAY

Sunday the children of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Foster gathered in the home of their parents to honor their mother on her birthday.

Mrs. Jack Foster brought the birthday cake decorated with appropriate decors and candies.

Those who were with Mrs. Foster Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Foster and daughter from Colorado City, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Parker and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster and children from Wayside, Mrs. Robert Foster and son from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Hosea Foster and Paul Foster from Canyon.

One son, Robert, is in the Navy training at San Diego, Calif.

The eight grandchildren helped with the birthday cake.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Afton Wilson and son from Monette, Arkansas have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Archer. Mrs. Wilson will be remembered as Miss Nannie Archer, sister of George Archer.

LAS SENORAS NEUVAS CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. FOSTER

On Wednesday, July 12, Mrs. D. M. Foster was hostess to the Las Senoras in rooms that were made unusually attractive with assortments of summer flowers.

Sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to Mrs. Hud Prichard, Mrs. Andy Walsh, Mrs. W. E. Miller, Mrs. Ray McReynolds, Mrs. J. Madison Daugherty, Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Jr., and Mrs. A. K. Goodman.

Mrs. Jarrett was winner of high score and Mrs. Goodman low.

W. T. (Billy) Davis, Jr., R. T. 3/c, U. S. C. G. with his wife arrived in Canyon Saturday for a week's visit in the parental W. T. Davis home. Billy has just graduated from a special radio engineering school at Silver Spring, Md., and will report to Seattle for duty. Mrs. Davis will accompany her husband to Seattle.

Mrs. Hudson Prichard, Jr., has returned from Mountain Home, Idaho, where she has been with her husband, Lt. A. H. Prichard, Jr.

GREEN HAVEN H. D. MEMBERS GIVE DEMONSTRATION MON.

The Green Haven Home Demonstration Club met on Monday, July 17, in the home of Mrs. George Ross for a luncheon.

A business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Ross after the luncheon. Plans were made and discussed for the annual picnic to be held on August 11.

Canning Chicken was the topic for consideration. Members who had been given the demonstration by the County Demonstrator canned the chicken for a club demonstration.

The following were present: guests, Mrs. Roy Houeston and Mrs. Bill Cooper; members, Mrs. Marion Bruce, Mrs. J. L. Keeney, Mrs. Geo. Prostman, Mrs. J. C. Arden, Mrs. L. A. Pitt, Mrs. Geo. Ross, Mrs. Sid Carter, Mrs. Jack Carr, Mrs. C. S. Watkins, Jr., and Mrs. Jack Cage.

On Sept. 4, the club will meet in the home of Mrs. C. S. Watkins, Jr.

Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Miller returned Thursday from Somerset, Pa., where they spent a 14-day delay enroute furlough with Sgt. Miller's parents. The Sergeant left Saturday for Phoenix, Arizona where he is stationed. Mrs. Miller will visit with her mother, Mrs. Alma Thornburg, in White Deer for about ten days before joining her husband in Arizona.

Clarence Eugene Thompson, R. T. 2/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Thompson, is spending a few days leave with his parents and friends in Canyon, after having been graduated from special radio school, Treasure Island, Calif.

Dr. A. M. Meyer will leave Saturday for Indiana. He goes to assist in closing the estate of his father who died recently. Mrs. Meyer has been in Indiana for several weeks, and will return home with Dr. Meyer in a month.

Mrs. Harley L. Stone and son, Aabor Rodger, returned to the parental Guy B. Tabor home Sunday after having spent nearly three weeks with the W. E. Stones in Amarillo.

Mrs. C. A. Jellison from Denver, Colo., visited her aunt, Mrs. W. H. McAtee, and her cousin, Loyd McAtee, and families Friday and Saturday as she was enroute home from having visited her husband in Sheppard Field.

Mrs. Lena Brooks was brought home the first of the week from an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. Kenneth Gibson of Lubbock spent from Friday to Monday in the parental C. H. Jarrett home.

Old Timer Made Visit Yesterday Among Friends

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Becton, really old-timers of the Plains, were holding court in the Thompson Furniture Department Wednesday morning.

Mr. Becton came to the Panhandle in 1889 and to Randall county in 1891. He filed on land adjoining Swisher county, where he had as neighbors, Dr. Black, Frank Ames, Ed Harrell and the Campbells.

Since there were not enough girls to go around, he let his land revert to the state and moved to Lubbock county where he "sized up" 3 or 4 likely looking gals," finally picking out the very best, Miss Nelia Bryant, who became his wife. She said Tuesday, "Well, I stuck anyway whether I was best or not."

In reminescing Mr. Becton recalled that antelope and wild horses were here in large numbers when he came. He was working timber in the Ceta Canyon when the famous Indian scare occurred. "Those Indians had come up the Canyon, killed me and were gone before I knew the Scare was on. When I came out of the Canyon a week later I heard all that had happened to me. I was some surprised."

Although Mr. Becton lived through all the early experiences, he has one distinction that probably few of his day can claim. He never worked on a ranch a day in his life. "I had no sense of direction and couldn't have kept up with a round up. When night comes, I go in circles." Then too, "I was about as active as a tick in a tar bucket. What good would I have been on a horse?"

Mr. Becton, 75 years old last October, has been inactive since 1931 except with the aid of a cane. However his spirit is quite active and his sense of humor was evident to all who listened to him talk. Little things do not escape his immediate attention.

Six living children with their families live in the vicinity of Petersburg, Lubbock county. To the Bectons goes the honor of being the only family in Lubbock county to still be living on the original family file of homestead land. Of the 13 grandchildren not one is old enough to be in the armed forces.

"Give this message to my friends, 'The latch string is always on the outside at the Becton home for old timers who come our way,'" was the request of Mr. Becton.

Mrs. W. M. Thompson and children spent Sunday in Plainview visiting with Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hayden. The children remained to visit for some time with their grandparents.

Capt. and Mrs. Al Williams of Camp Shelby, Miss., are visiting in the parental Dr. R. P. Jarrett home. They will return Saturday to the camp.

Religion in Democratic America Was Subject at Rotary

Dr. Roy Johnson, pastor of the Baptist Church, spoke Tuesday at the Rotary Club luncheon on "Religion in Democratic America."

"Wherever you find man, there is some kind of religion," stated the speaker. Twenty years ago people became alarmed over the outworn theory of evolution. The distinguishing mark of man is religion. Men must have rules by which they live and associate with one another. Therefore, the religious person believes in government.

In early times government was dominated by religion. The church was set up at Rome, and government was by the will of the Pope.

There followed a period of religion being dominated by government. Japan is the outstanding example. Hitler has attempted to revive Teutonic gods.

In the Balkans there is a compromise between these two extremes. The church is supported by taxation.

When the Pilgrims came to America, they brought the same restrictions as prevailed in England. Dr. Johnson cited many examples of religious persecution which took place in the early days. But the nation has profited by the mistakes of the early days. America is the only great nation in the world with a satisfactory arrangement between government and church in which the rights of both are recognized. All citizens owe allegiance to government and all owe allegiance to God. We are not good citizens until we fulfill both of these obligations.

Visitors were: Dr. Roy Boger, F. R. Barnes, Frank E. Hobgood, all of Amarillo; Chester Strickland of White Deer; W. H. Cross of Gladewater; Dr. Law Sone of Fort Worth; Capt. Al Williams of Camp Shelby, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Barnett of Tuscon, Ariz., visited a few days this week at the parental Frieze home. Mr. Barnett is an engineer on the Southern Pacific.

Johnson Items

Mrs. E. J. Bauer accompanied her daughter, Mrs. Jack Glenn, to Camp Wallace where Mrs. Glenn's husband is stationed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockett and sons were callers in the E. J. Bauer home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bauer visited Mrs. Buster Barnes Friday.

Mrs. Tin Hardman of Amarillo spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brazil..

E. J. Bauer, Elmer Bauer, Jr., Leonard Bauer and Francis Davis attended the horse sale in Hereford Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Crabtree visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bauer Monday.

Wayside Items

Rev. Jones, wife and son were with us Sunday for his regular appointment and were dinner guests in the Lem Fisher home.

Robert Crow of Hutchinson, Kansas, is visiting in the home of his sister, Mrs. Eddie Mahler, and family.

Most of the farmers have their wheat harvested in this community.

Mrs. George Hancock writes from Waco that the weather is so hot they stay near the electric fan most of the time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin were Canyon callers Friday.

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NOTICE TO

FARMERS

To help you during the harvest season, we are opening earlier and staying open later in the evening.

Consumers Service Station

Ray Cole — Glenn McGahey

Fresh from the garden flavor—that's what you get when you buy vegetables here. They're grown on near-by farms . . . sun-ripened to the peak of natural goodness . . . rushed to our market daily. In salads, in side dishes, in casseroles—they're "just what the doctor ordered" for heat-wilted appetites.

Vine Ripened — lb.

Tomatoes 12 1-2c

SQUASH Fancy Yellow pound **7½¢**

CUCUMBERS, Slicers, lb. . . 10c

FRESH BLACKEYED PEAS AND OKRA

CORN Fresh Roasting Ears Ear **5¢**

PEPPERS, Fancy Bells, lb. . . 19c

POTATOES, New Red, 5 lbs. 23c

CABBAGE, Fresh Green, lb. 6c
LEMONS, Fresh Sunkist, doz. 29c
LIMES, Full of Juice, doz. 15c

Cantaloupes, Watermelons, Cherries, Plums, Apricots, Grapes, Nectarines, Peaches, Etc.

SUGAR Pure Cane 10 lb. Cloth Bag **59¢**

LARD Sno-White 4 lbs. **59¢**

GULFSPRAY, quart . . 39¢

PEACHES, 2½ Can 15c

Garden Patch
CORN, Vacuum Pack, Can . 14c

Ice Cream Powder, Jello, pkg 10c
GELATIN, Minute, pkg. 13c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, Texsun, 46 oz. 29c
CATSUP, Large Bottle 14c

CHOICE MEATS

OLEO Banner or Del Rich pound **19¢**

WEINERS, lb. 30c

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For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, 7th District:
W. N. Stokes, Wilbarger Co.

For Associate Justice Court of Civil Appeals, 7th District:
(Unexpired term)
Clayton Hearne, Wheeler Co.

For State Senator, 31st District:
Grady Hazlewood, Potter Co.

For State Representative, 123rd District:
G. H. Little, Potter Co.

For District Attorney, 47th District:
James G. Lumpkin, Potter Co.

For County Judge and Ex-officio School Superintendent:
A. H. Hunt

For County Attorney:
C. R. Flesher

For County and District Clerk:
A. B. Holt

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
M. E. Cantrell
W. L. Lyons

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Elzie Price

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
G. B. Heath

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
Clarence Beckman

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
D. S. Hill

For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
Calvin Casey

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 1:
B. F. Machen

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 4:
Mrs. W. J. Flesher

For Chairman Democratic County Executive Committee:
Clyde W. Warwick

Strange faces never turn familiar to us faster than in times of war when strange creations, without character reference, are not always what they seem to be.

More men who want their needed summer suits to look as new and timely next October as now in July . . . are finding buyer's choice their best bet here and now.

You never can tell until you try. And there's no time like the present to explore the possibilities of a store that keeps its credential colors flying.

Hot Weather Favorites

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YES, there can be more to a Tropical than meets the eye . . . and there can be less. There's the very reason why every summer suit in stock is listed in the Brand Book of Famous Makes. No matter what fabric, style, size or markings you prefer . . . every Tropical is in character with some national reputation quality alone can sustain. Whether you like the looks and feel of yourself in this or that suit then becomes a mere routine of try-on.

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"REDDY" IS COMING!

WHO IS HE?
Watch next edition of this newspaper.

Money may talk—but not half as much as the people who suddenly acquire it.

RECEIVED THIS WEEK

Sterling Silver costume pins
Compacts
Watch Bands
Lockets
Cross and Chain
Baby rings
Ear rings
Ear bobs
Rings
Living room suite
Unfinished beds
Maple desks
Walnut desks
Mahogany arm chairs
Rugs
Tubes Needles
Machine oil
Tapestry Needles
Bead Needles
Darning Needles
Amazon Common Pins
Mirrors
Rockers
Bedroom Suite
Welsh Dresser
Nail Brushes
Waffle Iron Brushes
Pastry Brushes
Percolator Brushes
Bottle Brushes
Bowl Brushes
Tumbler Brushes
English Bone China
English Bone Cups and Saucers
English Bone Bridge Set
Juvenile Plaques
Juvenile Trays
Doggie Bar
Convex Pictures
Trays
Tea Cups
Onion Soups
Tea Saucers
5 inch plates
8 inch plates
4 inch fruits
7 inch bakers
10 inch dishes
Peppers
Salts
Bowls
Covered Sugars
Sauce boat
Children's Jewelry
Identification Bracelets
Machine bushings
Carriage bolts
Stove bolts
Screws
2x4 Belting
Spark plugs
Fuse links
Dry Cells
Golden Rod oilers
Chrome barber shears
Red Label Hammer Handles
Food choppers
Fence pliers
Pig Nose Tank Balls
Lock Washers
Yankee Hand Drills
Breast Drill
Toilet Seats
Tumblers
Basin stoppers
Weed scythes
Tier Tables
Cocktail tables
China closet
Down-filled Spring Couches
Men's Sterling Silver Expansion Bands
Pearls
Dinner Rings

THOMPSON'S

Canning Center

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haust tables are charts telling the length to process each type of food, and chart clocks with hands that can be arranged to mark the close of period of cooking.

Just off the kitchen is a commodious room in which cans will be stored for two or three days necessary before they are moved to the individual homes.

Tin cans at 3c per can, in any quantity, will be available at the canning center at all times. These cans at this nominal price are made available through the cooperation of a local merchant.

Preparation tables are all rimmed, making it possible for women to work with wet fruits and vegetables without water running from the tables.

Tables have been made and installed by members of the Canyon Lyons Club. All the work except some of the sheet metal work has been made in the vocational shops on the campus. Some of the sheet metal work was done at Thompson Hardware Sheet Metal Department.

Mrs. Archer will be glad to answer questions to help home canners. She can be reached at telephone 316 during the day.

Prevention of spoilage of goods is the unified effort of everyone in the United States that is connected with food preservation. Every effort possible will be made to help the women of this county to keep the food that they can.

Money from the War Food Production Board was made available to the State Department of Vocational Education and through the efforts of the local State Vocational Education people the Canning Center materialized in Canyon.

Come to Terrill Hall Dining Room Saturday to see the Center in operation. To reach the Center turn to the right on the first street north of Stafford Hall. The first stone building on the right is the Canyon Canning Center.

Open house will be held from 3:00 to 8:30 o'clock Saturday. Hours for regular operation are from 10:00 o'clock in the morning to 6:00 in the afternoon each day Monday through Friday.

MALCOLM RUSK WOUNDED

Pvt. Malcolm Rusk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rusk of Torrance, Calif., and nephew of Bud Rusk is in an American hospital in England recovering from wounds in the upper left leg received in action on "D-Day."

Miss Bobbie June Brandt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Brandt, left Thursday for Lincoln, Nebr., to visit a week with her fiance, Sgt. Pete Simpson, who is stationed there.

Mrs. Tom Lair went to Tacoma, Washington, Saturday, July 12, to visit her son, Capt. G. Harold Lair.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Divan, with springs, and chairs to match. Call 116. 1t

FOR SALE: 5-room stucco house. Immediate possession. Lloyd Buchanan. Phone 186W. 1p

FOR SALE: 75 lb. refrigerator, dinroom suite, small rocker, 2 clean mattresses, ironing board. See of mornings. Mrs. J. L. Heafner, 3-4 mile west of Canyon. 1t

FOR SALE: Fifteen Buff Orpington hens. Phone 429J. 1t

FOR SALE: Bassinet with mattress and stand. 1903 2nd Ave. Phone 223W.

FOR SALE: One No. 11 16-foot combine. Used this season; needs few small repairs. Also No. 61 6-foot combine in good condition. Phone Minor Alexander, 3170 Abilene, Texas. 20p2

FOR SALE: Fresh milch cow, White faced calf, 5 mo. old White faced heifer. Palo Duro Teacherage. 19p2

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST: C Gasoline Book, license No. F28-099. George A. Frank. 1p

LOST: Ladies black bill fold with name Wilma Hixon. Return to News office. 1p

LOST: Ration Book No. 4. Jewel Maxine Barnard. 1t

WANTED: Woman cook. Bob's Coffee Shop. 30t2

LOST: Black cocker spaniel pup. Answers to name of Bubbles. Reward offered. Helen Jo Cox, Cousins Hall. 19p3

FOR RENT: Front bedroom, private entrance, kitchen privileges. Telephone 537W. 18p3

FOR RENT: Two room house, furnished; bills paid. Telephone 106W. 18p4

FOR RENT: Two room apartments and cottage. Bellah's Food Store. 44tf

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ROBERT HANNEGAN
Chairman, Democratic National committee.

HARRY F. BYRD
Senator from Virginia, often mentioned as possible presidential or vice presidential nominee.

ALBEN W. BARKLEY
Senator from Kentucky and party leader.

HARRY L. HOPKINS
Personal adviser to President Roosevelt and is expected to figure strongly in convention activities.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Gerald and sons from Vernon visited in the parental Ed Gerald home over the week end.

Robert and Ruepaula have returned to Stinnett after having spent three weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. P. M. Wilson.

Mrs. Lavert Avent, Jr., left Wednesday for San Diego to be with her husband who is stationed there in the Navy.

Miss Oma Robertson spent the week end at home in Wellington and brought her sister, Betty Jean, back to Canyon with her for a visit.

Miss Mary Ella Davis of Amarillo spent Sunday in the parental W. T. Davis home.

J. R. Ford from Crowell, Texas is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Maude Cates.

Mrs. Jimmie Morgan, the former Ruth Baker, from Fort Worth, is visiting friends in Canyon.

Miss Martha Rodgers of Amarillo is visiting with Mrs. Harley L. Stone.

Mrs. Earl Breeding of Miami, Texas is visiting her friend Miss Lucy Jo Loudder this week.

Mrs. Bessie Samuelson is on vacation this week from her work in Thompson Hardware.

Lawyer: So you have decided to divorce your husband. What's the matter now? Aren't your relations pleasant?

Wife: Mine are, but his are just awful.

At the South Pole the continent of Antarctica reaches an elevation of 10,000 feet.

People who talk in circles are usually not on the square.

Do these wounds hurt you too?

Doesn't it tear your heart a little—the sight of these two American kids, hurt and tired, helping each other across the bloody fields of Normandy?

If it does, go out and buy another War Bond—*now!*

Right now—today—thousands and thousands of other youngsters like these are making the supreme military effort of this war.

Are you—here on the home front—making *the* supreme financial effort of this war?

You can only do so by buying more, *more* and MORE War Bonds.

Buy your Invasion Bonds Today!

First National Bank
Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

Capt. Lockhart

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in field hospital service in the South Pacific.

His mother Mrs. W. E. Lockhart makes her home at the family home in Canyon. His wife makes her home with her parents in Tulsa, Okla., while her husband is in service.

Sgt. Harold Lewis from Camp Hood spent a five day furlough with his wife in the Bob Clark home.

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or see me between
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Remember that a big "V" for Values is on all foods at Bellah's.

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Bellah's Grocery & Market

Dr. Law Sone Is W. T. Speaker

Candidates For Masters Degree Number Fourteen

DR. LAW SONE

Dr Sone graduated from West Texas State College nineteen years ago with a major in manual training. He has progressed steadily in his profession since that time. While superintendent of schools at Panhandle he made a study of problems of finances in oil field schoodl districts. This study constituted his thesis for his Master's degree which was conferred by W. T. S. C. in 1932. Since that time, Mr. Sone has been honored with an LL. D. degree in recognition of his fine services as president of Texas Women's College and Texas Wesleyan College, which is the larger institution which grew from the girls' school.

Fifty-six persons were candidates for degrees at the summer commencement Tuesday, in the auditorium of the Administration Building. The exercises began at 8:30 with Dr. Law Sone, President of Texas Wesleyan College, delivering the address.

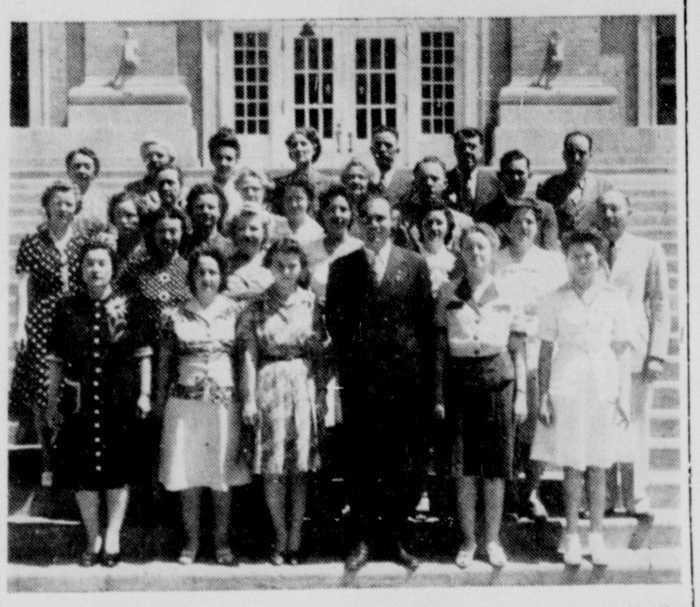
Fourteen of the candidates for degrees will receive Master of Arts Degrees. This is the largest class of graduate students at West Texas State. Those who have made applications for Masters Degrees are Marguerite Cleghorn, Amarillo; Sara Jane Duke, Frederick, Oklahoma; Earl Ferguson, Electra; O. B. Ginn, Friona; Gladys Marsalis Glenn, Virginia Turner McQuirk, Mary Killingsworth Martin, and Rachel Ruth Milam of Amarillo; Walter M. Parker, San Jon, New Mexico; Ruth King Reisdorph, Amarillo; Ray Leon Robbins, Pampa; Mabel T. Rogers and Mary Braswell Ruff, Amarillo; and Carrie Belle Lee, Memphis.

Two graduates will receive the Bachelor of Business Administration Degree. They are Gussie Chesnut of Dalhart and Thelma Mildred Hunter of Wheeler.

Nyla Harvey of Amarillo, Harriet Wilcher Kimberlin of Ferris, Edna Joyce Lamb of Spearman, and Dorothy Jane Day Tout of Pampa are candidates for the Bachelor of Arts Degree.

Those applying for the Bachelor of Science Degree were Hazel O. Atchley, Dawn; Frank Dolye Barnhill and Marguerite Shelton Barnhill, Canyon; Laverne Berry Bruce, Miami; Willena B. Butler, Canyon; Jean Claborn, Crosbyton; Tommie J. Cole, White Deer; Leota Nixon Condray, Whiteface; Stuart Condron, Jr., Canyon; Betty Jo Cone, Canyon; Leslie Curb, Happy; Vivian Earl Davison, Pittman, Nevada; Doris Finck, Tulia; Rowena Lois Flowers, Perryton; Erma W. Fox, Shamrock; Willie Ana Garmon, Springer, N. M.; Edith LeRow Hamilton, Allison; Margaret Ellen Hutton, Canadian; Jewell Gwendolyn Johnson, Tell; Mary Ella Kiker, Happy; Jean Taylor Kirkpatrick, Houston; Lydia Mae Lockhart, Canyon; Irene Mae Marler, Flomot; Geneva Marr, Swearingen; Edna Mae Mauldin, Dalhart; Helen Bowman Morlan, Canyon; Merle Myers, Lockney; Lura Dyer Noland, Nada V. Cypert Offholter, Memphis; Ala Gene Pritchett Pepper, Flomot; Bernadine Phillips, Hereford, Beatrice Alma Reich, Electra; Nieto La Nell Stephens, Tahoka; Dannie Stewart, Canyon; Evelyn Wiseman Taylor, Vega; and Wilma Wright, Canyon.

Graduate Club Had Last Meeting This Summer at President Hill's



One of the most active groups on the campus this summer, the Graduate Club, held its last meeting Saturday evening on the lawn of the home of President and Mrs. Hill. This was a business meeting, and also one of entertainment. Norman Whisenand, vice-president, provided the entertainment with several impersonations.

Under the direction of their sponsor, Dr. A. M. Meyer, dean of the graduate school, the Graduate Club has taken as their summer project the making of a new and better Graduate Reading Room. Mary Lou Roberson has had charge of the changes. The desks and blackboards of Room 209 have been removed, the floor sanded and refinished, and the walls and ceiling painted. Miss Roberson is painting a wall hanging and drapery is being hung. Comfortable chairs and tables will be moved into the room. All of the work has been done by members of the club. It is hoped that the room will be of great use to graduate students, and will be looked forward to by undergraduates. It is rapidly becoming one of the most attractive rooms of the library.

Expenses Will Be Increased

Board and Room Increase; Tuition Remains Same

Expenses will be slightly higher at West Texas State College with the beginning of the fall semester September 19, 1944. Announcement has been made of a revision upward in rates at all the college dormitories. At Cousins Hall the rate will be $135 per semester for room and board.

At Randall Hall, there are two rates. Those who work one hour each day will pay $85 for the semester, and those who prefer straight room and board will pay $115 for the semester.

Stafford Hall, heretofore a college dormitory for men will be opened to sophomore and upperclass women at $55 per semester for room only. Persons who live at Stafford Hall may secure their meals at one of the other dormitories or elsewhere as they prefer.

Terrill Hall will be operated for men. Room and board will cost them $125 per semester there.

Unless rapidly changing prices of commodities make a change necessary the small cooperative dormitories will be operated at $85 per semester, according to the statement made by Dean Geraldine Green.

There will be no change in fees at West Texas State College, although in many respects the facilities will be greatly improved this fall.

Small announcements of the changes of dates for the 1944-45 session and the changes of rates have been printed. These announcements will be enclosed in all catalogs which are mailed and in letters which go out from the administrative offices. These have also been posted on the bulletin boards and it is believed that no one will be inconvenienced by the changes.

WARNING

Officer: "Do you know who I am?"

Recruit: "No, sir."

Officer: "I'm the Colonel of this outfit."

Recruit: "Oh-oh! Are you gonna catch it! The sergeant's been looking for you all day!"

WOULDN'T DO

"Why are you looking so fed-up?"

"I bought a book called 'How to Make Love,' and now I don't know what to do."

"Why?"

"Well, it says you take the girl's hand, look into her eyes, and say: 'I love you Beatrice.'"

"What's wrong with that?"

"My girl's name is Lizzie."

ALL HOPE GONE

Disconsolate, a picture of despair, the man of the house dragged thru the door and slumped into a chair. "The worst has happened," he said dismally.

"No," cried his wife.

"Yes," he answered. "This afternoon just before quitting time the boss called me in and gave me the business."

The absentee problem in Berlin is acute. Every day a few more factories fail to show up for work.

LIKE POP DIDN'T

Pop, I need an encyclopedia for school.

Encyclopedia heck! You can walk to school.

We've heard so many jokes about saving rubber and scrap iron that we wish the comedians would start saving a little corn.

A little mental exercise will keep you from getting a fat head.

LITTELL'S LIQUID

An aid in relieving the itching that occasionally accompanies Minor Skin Irritations, Prickly Heat, Eczema, and the bites of Non-Poisonous Insects. Price 50¢.

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If your "GUMS" itch, burn, or cause you discomfort, druggists will return money if the first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. City Pharmacy. 6

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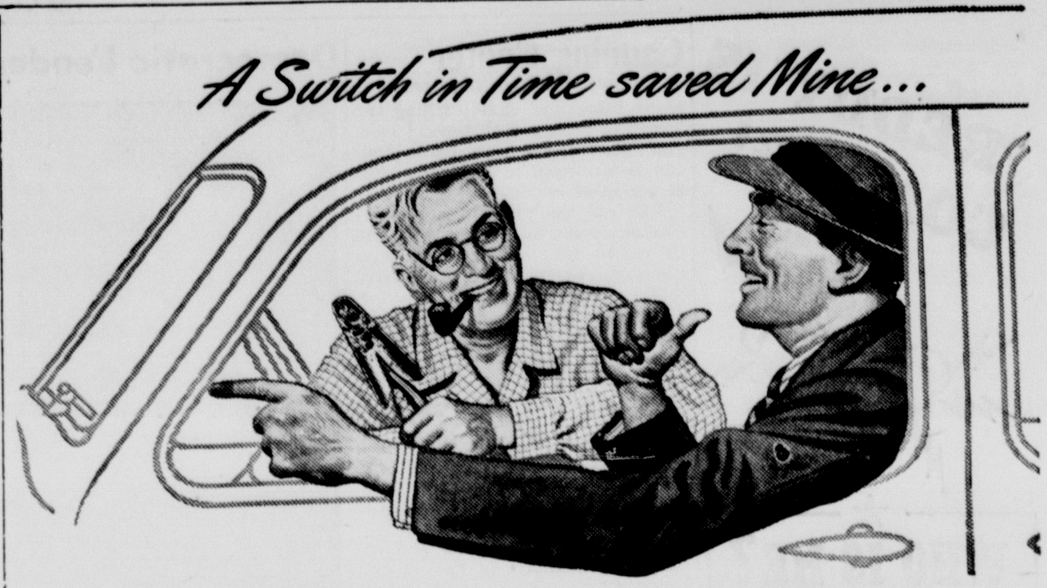

Now I'm over 33,000 mi.

I used to trade cars around 25,000. But if you'd offer me a new one today—unless it was free—I'd think twice. This '39 model gives me quite some pride, still running as sweet as it does. I know of people trying a dozen different oils and nearly everything else, to make their cars last. Some things worked; plenty didn't. In my case I played the hunch of OIL-PLATING my engine by switching to Conoco Nth motor oil, so as not to let engine acids get an upper hand. *That* worked! And why not? I knew that deadly corrosive acids are a regular part of every engine explosion. I had my faith in Conoco Nth oil's modern synthetic that attaches OIL-PLATING to working parts—like a close-fitting shield. There's the stuff that puts up a real battle against corrosive acids. You're giving your car its chance to *live*, as soon as you change to an OIL-PLATED engine. Get Conoco Nth oil, that's all.

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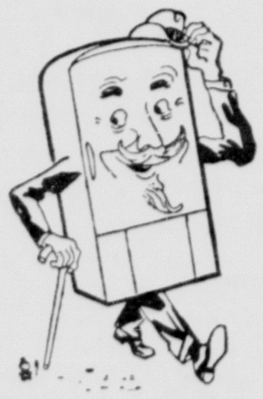

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Your electric refrigerator is a money-saver . . . it protects precious food and guards the family's health. Be sure you are using it most economically.

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Defrost it regularly.
Let hot foods cool before placing in refrigerator.
Don't open the door unnecessarily.
Avoid overcrowding it.
Remove food from wrappings.

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Use extra care with your appliances.
Any waste in wartime is unpatriotic.
This applies to electricity, although it isn't rationed.
Remember—that while there is plenty of electricity for essential use, there is none to waste.

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Let us handle your BARLEY, OATS, WHEAT and RYE. Top prices at all times. We are assured ample Government Storage this year, but railroad cars may not always be available to ship the grain.

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We are open the year around for your convenience and are ready to serve you at all times.

We do not permit the rush of harvest to interfere with our regular lines of DAIRY AND POULTRY FEEDS. Let us serve you at all times.

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Canyon, Texas

TOWN and FARM in WARTIME

Prepared by OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION

REMINDERS

Meats, Fats: Red stamps A8 thru Z8, good indefinitely.

Processed Foods: Blue stamps A8 thru Z8 and A5, good indefinitely.

NATIONAL FARM SAFETY WEEK

As a part of the National Farm Safety Week Program, July 23-29, the Department of Agriculture offers some simple safety rules for women and girls doing farm work for the first time. In handling machinery—read and follow instructions; stop machine for all adjustments and repairs; wear coveralls with no loose parts to catch in machine. Wear gloves for rough work. When sun is hot, wear a broad-brimmed hat, dark glasses when needed and if skin is tender use skin lotion. To be sure you can do heavy work safely, get a medical check-up. Move a ladder often instead of stretching. In lifting, use knees and keep back straight. Cleanse slight cuts and scratches and cover with sterile material. Wear whole, clean stockings and well fitted shoes with low, level heels. Eat three well-planned meals each day. When perspiring freely use one-eighth to one-fourth teaspoonful of salt to each glass of drinking water. When hours are long and the work is hard, eat a mid-morning and mid-afternoon snack.

KEROSENE HAS GONE TO WAR

Kerosene use on the home front must be reduced wherever possible this year, the Petroleum Administration for War warns, because of the tremendous and increasing consumption of kerosene in vital war fuels. Diesel engines use a fuel a portion of which has been diverted from the manufacture of kerosene. Diesel fuel oil, made of approximately one-third kerosene fractions, powers bulldozers, Diesel trucks, caterpillar tractors, construction machinery, dock and yard locomotives, every American submarine and nearly 100,000 invasion barges. PAW calls on users to use sparingly of kerosene—also known as coal oil, range oil, lamp oil, burning oil, and stove oil.

MORE WORK CLOTHING

More civilian clothing for men and boys is indicated by a war Production Board order requiring manufacturers of work clothing to produce during each quarter beginning July 1 at least 90 per cent of the number of garments manufactured during the third quarter of 1942. Items to be produced are bib overalls, dungarees, work shirts, one-piece work suits, pants, overall jackets and blanket-lined coats. In line with recent national legislation, manufacturers prices for the basic constructions of denim (used widely in manufacture of overalls) have been raised one cent a yard, the Office of Price Administration announced.

MORE CALLS FOR NURSES

A call for qualified nurses to work in Veterans Administration Hospitals to help provide adequate care for disabled veterans has been issued by the Veterans Administration. Hospitals are classified in three groups—General Medical and Surgical, Tuberculosis and Neuro-Psychaitric. Nurses work an eight-hour day, six days per week, with rotating shifts and additional compensation for overtime. Living accommodations may be obtained at the hospitals. Interested graduate nurses from recognized schools who are registered should write to Medical Director, Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D. C. A campaign to recruit 8,500 nurses for the Army and Navy—at the rate of 1,000 a month for the Army and 500 a month for the Navy— has been announced by the War Manpower Commission. Nurses in the Army now have the full authority of their officer rank.

OPA PRICE ACTIONS

Prices for the 1944 crops of a number of fresh food items have been set by OPA. Potato prices will be the same as for the 1943 crop except that for July there will be increases in the F. O. B. shipping point prices of 20 cents a hundredweight in Nebraska and 30 cents a hundredweight in Kansas, Maryland, North Carolina and Virginia—states in which adverse weather caused decreased yield. Retail prices of 1944 sweet potatoes—with a national average of about 10 cents a pound over the 12 months—will be lower than for the 1943 crop, OPA says. Retail prices for the 1944 red sour cherries for table use or home canning will be about 18 cents a pound with stems and are sold in containers and about 16 cents a pound without stems and sold in containers. The F. O. B. shipping point prices for these cherries in containers will be 11 cents a pound with stems and 9¾ cents a pound without stems. Sold in bulk without containers the price is two cents a pound less than the container prices. Highest prices for fresh peaches for table use should range from 14½ to 16 cents a pound, OPA says, as these peaches are now under price control for the first time.

MAKE CHAIN FOR FARM USES

To provide necessary chain for farm uses, the WPB has issued instructions to chain manufacturers on filling orders for suppliers and dealers serving the farm trade. Chain that the WPB expects to keep available includes harness chain, wagon chain, cow ties, tie outs, halter chain, log chain under one-half inch and repair and lap links.

CALL FOR SHIPYARD WORKERS

Fifty thousand additional shipyard workers are needed to meet the ship construction needs for European and Far Eastern operations, Vice Admiral Emory S. Land, Chairman of the United States Maritime Commission and War Shipping Administrator, announced. "Every man or woman who is able to work in a shipyard, and not at present employed in essential war work, should report at once to the nearest United States Employment Service office for enrollment in this most essential work," he said.

ROUND-UP

USDA says—in all states, farmers who need lumber for essential maintenance and repairs on farms may get preference ratings AA-2 or AA-3 as high as those assigned to any other civilian. . . . Civilian butter supplies for the last half of this year will be shorter than for the first half, inasmuch as production during the next six months is expected to be lower than during the corresponding months last year and purchases for the armed forces are behind schedule.

OPA says—because sheepherders living for long periods in isolated areas eat large quantities of cereal foods and need more sugar than regular rations provide, they may get supplemental rations of one and one-half pounds a month. . . . Sales of major canned fruits and vegetables by home packers whose output in any calendar year does not exceed a specified amount—500 to 1,500 quarts—are exempt from price control.

Vote For

Lieutenant Governor

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Candidate for SECOND TERM

1. Able, courageous, and fearless. He led the fight to stop war-time strikes and curb the labor racketeers. He sponsored bill to curb violence in strikes, and as Lieutenant Governor aided in passing Manford anti-racketeer bill.
2. Overseas veteran of World War One—he knows the meaning of War, and is devoted to the interests of the men who fight to win our victory.
3. He helped in reducing state appropriations by more than 9 million dollar
4. While member of the Senate, voted for tax bill increasing Old Age Pensions more than 8 million dollars.

News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of July 17, 1919)

President J. A. Hill reports from Austin that both houses of the legislature have assured him that an appropriation will be passed for a girls' dormitory. The bill was introduced by Representative Lee Satterwhite.

Contract has been made for a Chautauqua in Canyon for August 14-18. The local committee is composed of: L. G. Allen, chairman; C. L. Condroy, vice chairman; G. G. Foster, secretary; S. B. McClure, C. R. Burrow, Clyde Warwick, executive committee.

Gas was struck in the test well being drilled in the Palo Duro Canyon 14 miles east of Canyon. Leasing has started at a lively pace near the test well.

Rev. Wm. Garner of the Episcopal Church is organizing Boy Scout work in Canyon.

J. S. Christian died at the family home. He is a brother of Mrs. M. C. DeGraffenried.

Dr. S. R. Griffin has arrived home, having been discharged from the Medical Corps of the army.

Will C. Black, Arthur Gober, Guy Ballard, Elmer Shotwell were discharged from the army.

In a special election W. H. Bledsoe of Lubbock was elected State Senator from this district, defeating R. L. Templeton of Wellington.

A. E. Wise moved here from Dalhart to take the management of the W. W. Kuehn garage.

While S. V. Wirt was working on his well, a wrench slipped hitting him in the face. His cheek and lip were badly cut.

H. W. Gouldy has opened a new furniture store in Canyon.

Pres. Hill Leaves Wednesday For Downstate Meet

President J. A. Hill left Wednesday to attend an important meeting of all the college presidents of Texas; furtherance of postwar plans for all the State's institutions is the task which the administrators have before them.

Dr. Hill is the representative of the Teacher's Colleges on the State Planning Board. He has been giving their needs and possibilities of service careful study for several months.

From this meeting Dr. Hill will go to Nacogdoches to attend the regular summmer meeting of the State Board of Regents, at which time a report of this institution's work through the year will be given.

TRUTHFULLY SPOKEN

What is your occupation?

I'm a locksmith, sir.

Then what were you doing in that gambling house when the police raided it?

I was making a bolt for the door.

MARCHING WITH MARTIN THE EX-MARINE

QUALIFIED!

EXPERIENCED!

JESSE E. MARTIN

FOR

ATTORNEY GENERAL

The Only Ex-Service Man in the Race!

Lt. Freed Writes From France Where Stationed

Lt. Conrad Freed, under date of June 28, writes that he had at that time been somewhere in France for three Sundays. He wrote to President Hill, "The section we occupy is very rural and very primitive. Peasants wear wooden shoes and many of them are using the same clothing they had before the German conquest. Radios, automobiles, and weapons were confiscated by the army when they were here, and all news was published in the German language. As a result, the natives here knew little or nothing of the progress of the war.

Dr. Freed's letter emphasized the importance of mail to the men in the service. He said, "it gives one a good feeling to hear from the old stomping ground."

Mrs. Freed and their son are living in Detroit.

Even when business is sound, the sound gets mighty tiresome when you keep hearing about it over the neighbor's radio.

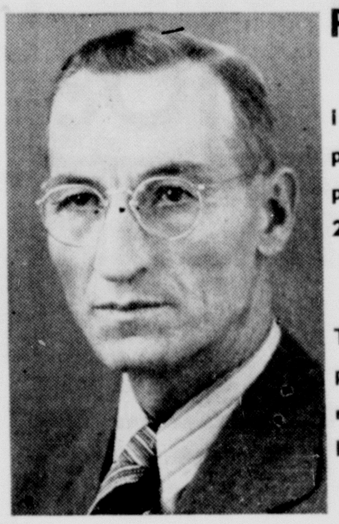
Maybe the man who wrote the rubber check was just trying to stretch his money.

G. B. HEATH

Candidate for Re-election

County Commissioner

Precinct, No. 1



I will appreciate your support in the Democratic primary Saturday, July 22.

The cooperation that the people have given me in my work in the past has been greatly appreciated.

I have tried to give you a business administration and will continue to do so in the future.

G. B. HEATH

VOTE FOR

W. L. LYONS

Candidate for

Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector

Randall County, Texas

Your Influence and Vote Appreciated.
Subject to Democratic Primary, July 22, 1944.

I am appealing to you people of Randall County for your vote on July 22nd. I have made an effort to see every one in person, but have missed many because of conditions beyond my control, some of which were brought about by the war and the heavy wheat crop.

I am qualified for this office. I have served eleven years as Peace Officer, Deputy Tax Collector and Assessor. I have lived in Randall County eighteen years, and have owned my home and business, voted and paid taxes during that time. My experience as a peace officer has taught me how to care for Child Delinquency—the most-talked-of problem today. I found long ago that common sense, a love for boys and girls, and right cooperation of officers, teachers, religious leaders, and parents can solve this problem. My experience as an officer, as a father, and as a church-going man has taught me much about this problem.

I promise you I will do my part to keep Randall County free from the liquor traffic if elected to this office. I promise to make a sheriff you will be proud of, and I will be on the job where I can be found as much as possible. I promise a square deal to every one—even the law-breaker, for he has his rights too. If elected, I can work with a free hand, for I will not be obligated to any individual or clique.

This is my platform. I sincerely ask for your support and vote.

International Harvester, Dempster, Aermotor, Crane, General Electric, Sunbeam, Disston, Nicholsen, Plumb, Blue Grass, Atkins, Winchester, Remington, Western Arms, Universal, McCormick - Deering, Johnson's, Sherwin Williams, Burgess, Ever Ready, Community, Tudor, Cory, Samson, Stillson, Crescent, Congoleum Nairn, Biglow Sanford, National Pressure Cookers, Health Cookers, Morning Glory, Spring Air, Presto Cooker, Wm. Volker, Fiesta, Pyrex, Ever Ready, Pabco Rugs, Swift & Co., Holgate, Armstrong Linoleum, True Temper, Heisey, Haviland, Roseville, Hull, Gillette, Padgitt Bros., Justin, Kay-Bar, Case, Silex, Aladdin, Quaker, Plymouth Rope, Mirro, Wear-Ever, O'Cedar, Pittsburg Plate Glass, Texas Tanning Co., Vernon Kilns, Homer Laughlin, Frankoma, Gladding-McBean, Stanley, Hummel, Magnolia, Gulf, Stouffer, Standard Oil, Weller, Shakespeare, Heddon, South Bend, Coolerator, R. C. A., Yale & Towne, Goodyear, Firestone, Florence, Perfection, Payneheat, Goodrich, Coleman, Hoover, Bissell, Beautyrest, Simmons, Lane, Alexander Smith, Mohawk, Tru-Test.

THOMPSON'S HARDWARE

IMPLEMENTS FURNITURE PHONES 12 - 13

Home of Famous Names
Some of their products available now. All available post-war.

TOM V. SLACK
For County Chairman

My friends have asked me to run for County Chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee. I regret that my name was not printed on the ballot although I declared my intentions in a formal letter and in due time to the County Chairman. Anyhow, if you are a democrat and propose to support the nominees of the National Democratic Convention, then write in the name of Tom V. Slack on your ballot for County Chairman and mark out the name of my opponent.

I have lived in this county for 41 years. I am just an ordinary farmer with a little common school education. I think, though, I have sense enough to know that we cannot have a democratic government without a party system through which the people can make their choice of a candidate and express their will on political issues. Our County Chairman has impressed us through his paper that he is in sympathy with that clique of Texas politicians who had electors appointed who are not pledged to support the democratic ticket in November. That is an underhanded way of trying to destroy our party system. The first thing that Hitler did in order to set up a dictatorship was to destroy the party system of government and to leave the selection of the ruler of Germany to a small group of men. It looks like the Butler-Moody-Germany clique who is threatening to bolt the National Convention if they do not get their platform adopted is trying to destroy the party system in Texas. What good will it do us to vote for the democratic nominees and leave the electors free to cast our votes for some other man for President who represents their own personal choice? It is time that we place democrats in control of the democratic organizations both in the county and in the state who will be responsible for counting the democratic vote for the nominees of the democratic party.

Respectfully yours,

TOM V. SLACK

CANYON, TEXAS

TAYLOR & SONS COUNTRY STORE

On Highway
Canyon, Texas
Quantity Rights

Tomato Juice Poppy Pint 10c

Hay Ties 500 8½x16 Gauge **$2.95**

Steak Loin lb. 39c

SYRUP ½ Gal. Blackburn's 39c

AT THE WRITING OF THIS AD WE HAVE ON HAND:
3—30' Steel Towers
2—10' Steel Windmills
1—8' Steel Windmill

SUGAR Pure Cane 10 lb. Bag **59c**

Steak T-Bone lb. 39c

Pre-Cooked **Beans** 10c
Lima, Navy and Chili

COFFEE Schilling's 1 lb. Limit **25c**

BACON Sliced lb. 31c

Reg. 15c **Prince Albert** Always 10c

Fruit Jars Pint 59c

Fruit Jars Quart 69c

BUTTER Swisher lb. 45c

OLEO Bluebonnet lb. 19c

Red and White Store **BUFFALO** Phone 1 or 2 Prompt Free Delivery

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JULY 21-22 — WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

3 lb. Jar **SPRY** 68c

VEL, Large Box . . . . 25¢

Sweetheart **TOILET SOAP, 2 for 13c**

BEANS WITH BACON, 2 No. 2 Cans for 25c

GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 46 oz. Can 25c

25 lbs. Gold Medal Sack **Flour $1.09**

OLIVES Ripe Red & White Pint Jar 25¢

BEANS, Large Cello Bag . . . 23c

SALAD DRESSING, qt. T. T. 29c

WETALENE, The Magic All-Purpose Cleanser 23c

PRUNE JUICE, Pint Bottle 17c

SOUP Chicken, Red & White 2 For 33¢

Pure Grape **JELLY, 1 lb. Jar R&W 23c**

HOT RELISH, 24 oz. Jar 31c

JELLY MAKER, Marco, 3 for 25c

SUGAR C & H, 10 lb. Cloth Bag Pure Cane 58¢

Red & White lb. **COFFEE 25c**

(With return of a Red & White Jar)

Fresh Pork, Nice and Lean lb. **ROAST 27c**

LUNCH Four Kinds Assorted, lb. 25¢

WEINERS, Skinless, lb. 25c

AA Grain Fed Baby Beef—Chuck lb. **ROAST 28c**

Fryers and Hens, Fresh Dressed

FISH—Perch and Haddock

BACON, Grade A Sliced 39¢

HAM SALAD Home Made pound 35¢

Grade A, Slab or Piece lb. **BACON 29c**

Nice Heads Each **Lettuce 8c**

FRESH TOMATOES Nice Firm 20¢

CARROTS, Nice Bunches, each 5c

Sunkist doz. **Oranges 32c**

LEMONS, Large Sunkist, doz. 32c

Happy Birthday

July 21st—
Ruth Ann Soll
Jack Ratjen
Dan Sanders
Roy Montgomery
Max Hoffman
Mrs. Morris Abbott
Eugene Zachry

July 22nd—
Foster Parker
Travis Shaw
Melvin Belt
John Truett Palmer
Clarence Zachry
Dorothy Shelnutt

July 23rd—
C. R. Flesher
Dean Nicholas
Clem Dugan
H. T. Rhodes
Velton Sorgee
Tabor Rodger Stone

July 24th—
Franklin Bauer
Leonard Bauer
Wm. M. Dickerson
Charles Owens
Janet Taylor

July 25th—
Joe Crowley
Lindsey Talylor
Bill Heizer
Jane Campbell
T. S. Stephenson
Lillian Menke
Donald Schaeffer
Clarence Harold Sutton
John Pratt
Fay Hand
Mrs. E. Mickle
Mrs. A. W. SoRelle, Jr.
Jimmie Joe Duke
Robert Ray Henry
Barbara Bogert

July 26th—
Mabry Vandergriff
Lela Loudder
Mrs. Ed Gerald
William Vorwald
Warren Fox
Mrs. C. H. Davis
Janie Fay Jennings
Mrs. Jack McBroom
Garland Butler
Tom Lair
Monte Ray Ludlum

July 27th—
Jimmie Campbell
Edward Lehnick
Nettie Morris
Mattie Foster
Evelyn Schaeffer
James Russell Thomas
Mrs. Fred Sorgee
Mrs. W. M. Rogers
Mrs. James Ross Duff
Gloria Jean Franklin

Pande: What time is it by your watch?
Monium: Quarter to.
Pande: Quarter to what?
Monium: I can't tell. Time's got so bad I had to lay off one of the hands.

More History of Churches in City Is Disclosed

Eight articles are not enough to chronicle the worthy religious enterprises of the town of Canyon. Other groups than those mentioned, have their loyal devoted adherents, but certainly the Protestant Episcopal Church must not be omitted.

Situated on Fourth Avenue, just before the business portion of the town begins, the quiet red brick church with its modest cross affords a place of worship.

It is a mission church and always has been; its Little House of Fellowship has been of service far beyond its size and pretensions. At first the Little House was opened in a rented cottage under Mrs. Andrews, who graciously held its portals open for the sorrowing and disturbed.

Then in an appropriate ceremony the dirt was broken for the present red brick house just north of the little church.

Y. W. C. A. breakfasts, story hours in the fire light, International Relations club meetings, weekly discussion groups have honored the Little House. The name in bronze over the door came from London, the gift of one of its admirers. The Church has witnessed christenings, marriages, confirmations, church council of women, besides the gatherings of conventional groups.

A book of history has been kept by those who have supervised the House—Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Elizabeth Fry Page, Miss Helen Lyles, and others. A warmth, when its name is mentioned, envelopes the hearts of those who know the Little House of Fellowship.

HAD OPERATION

Miss Helen Jo Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox, underwent an emergency appendectomy at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Saturday night.

An elderly woman was visiting a ranch in Wyoming, and, on noticing a lasso coiled up on a cowboy's saddle, she inquired what it was used for.

"We use that for catching cattle and horses," came the reply.

"Indeed," retorted the woman, "and what do you use for bait?"

I'm all done with dames,
They cheat and they lie;
They prey on us males
To the day that we die.
They tease and torment us
And drive us to sin—
Say—Look at the blonde
That just came in.

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"The House of Good Pictures"

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
Edward G. Robinson—Lynn Bari
"TAMPICO"
Adm. 9c-35c
Also News — Selected Shorts

SATURDAY
John Wayne — Martha Scott
"IN OLD OKLA"
Adm. 9c-25c

SUNDAY — MONDAY
MICKEY ROONEY — BONITA GRANVILLE
"Andy Hardy's Blonde Trouble"
Also News — Selected Shorts
Sunday Show Continuous from 1:30 p. m.
Admission 9c-35c

TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY
Beulah Bondi — Nina Foch
'SHE'S A SOLDIER TOO"
Selected Shorts
Adm. 9c-20c

THURSDAY - FRIDAY
Ingrid Bergman—Charles Boyer
Joseph Cotton
"GASLIGHT"
Also News — Selected Shorts
Adm. 9c-35c